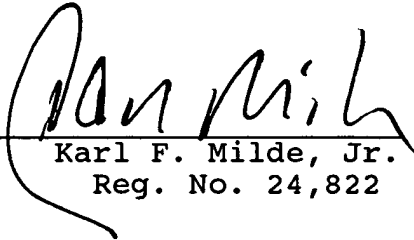


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This Preliminary Amendment is being filed to correct the claims. No new matter has been introduced.

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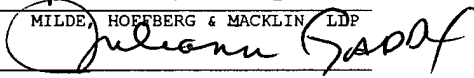
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